

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Itzhak Bentwich

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Title: BIOINFORMATICALLY DETECTABLE  
GROUP OF NOVEL REGULATORY  
OLIGONUCLEOTIDES ASSOCIATED  
WITH ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND  
USES THEREOF

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER  
37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Dear Sir:

In reply to the final office action mailed on January 26, 2010 (the "Office Action"), and in accordance with the Rules of Practice, please enter the amendments and consider the remarks below. Submitted herewith is a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and the \$810 fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e), which provide an opportunity to withdraw the finality of any office action and to enter and consider this submission. No other fees are believed to be due in connection with filing this submission, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any necessary fees in connection with this submission from Deposit Account No. 50-1662, referencing the docket number above.

**Amendment to the Claims** begin at page 2; and **Remarks** begin at page 3.